IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO EASTERN DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,) CASE NO.: 1:15-CR-308
Plaintiff,) CHIEF JUDGE SOLOMON OLIVER, JR.
v.)
STUART PFLAUM,) OBJECTION TO MOTION TO) CONTINUE SENTENCING
Defendant.) <u>CONTINUE SENTENCENTO</u>

Now comes the United States of America, by and through counsel, David A. Sierleja,
Acting United States Attorney, and Margaret A. Sweeney, Assistant United States Attorney, and
hereby responds in opposition to Defendant's Motion to Continue.

Defendant's sentencing has been pending since May 4, 2016, when this Court held his sentencing hearing. Since that time, Defendant moved to withdraw his guilty plea, which this Court denied on May 1, 2017. The next day, this Court set sentencing for June 5, 2017.

Defendant has requested that this Court continue sentencing so that he may have family members attend his sentencing. More specifically, Defendant asserts that his parents' travel schedule conflicts with the Court's scheduled sentencing date and asks this Court to accommodate their travel schedule. Defendant and his parents have known about this sentencing date for nearly one month and have had ample time to make other travel arrangements so that

they could attend Defendant's sentencing. Defendant has not presented this Court with a sufficient justification to continue his sentencing, which is the last sentencing left in this case. Accordingly, the government objects to continuing Defendant's June 5, 2017, sentencing date.

Respectfully submitted,

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